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WITH AN IMPACT DIVERTER

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 12, 2006, please amend the
above-identified application as follows: